

## Graduate/Professional Student Housing

- Quantify and assess housing needs of students
- Develop action plan summarizing findings and recommending next steps
- Work with Housing and Conference Services, Graduate Student Center, Office of Off Campus Student Living, and GAPSA International Council

### Qualitative Data Gathering

- Landlord Survey available on GAPSA website, for generating reports and inputting information
- Host Town Hall meeting (and virtual Town Hall)
- Meet with international Council
- Meet with Housing and Conference Services
- Interview twelve student government reps about housing options and issues among constituencies
- Collect housing information that each school distributes to newly accepted students
- Monitor renovation work on Sansom Place
- Op-editorial in Daily Pennsylvania about housing options available to graduate students

### Quantitative Data Gathering

- Collect previous housing studies and related research conducted both at Penn (GSC and Penn IUR) and other Universities in a similar situation
- Collect census data of costs of living (rent/ own)
- Data gathering and mapping where students live
- Campus Climate Survey

## Graduate/Professional Students Living and Working Sustainably

- Think about ways students can lessen their carbon footprint and limit consumption patterns
- Develop and incentivize ways for students to easily adopt more sustainable behaviors
- Work with Penn Transit, Facilities and Real Estate Services, and Office of City and Community Relations

### Transportation

#### Penn Transit

- GPS vehicle tracking system
- Improved signage at stops
- Facilities relocating to West Philly
- Raising awareness of Penn Transit

#### Bicycles and Two-Wheeled Vehicles

- Bicycle/two-wheel vehicle policy
- Vehicles parking/shelter
- Bicycle use and safety promotion
- Bicycle share program
- Park(ing) Day 2009

#### Campus Transportation Study Plan

- closing of South Street bridge
- Purchasing SEPTA tokens
- Making SEPTA easier to use
- Subsidize student transit pass

### Green Campus Partnership

#### 2009 Carbon Reduction Plan

#### Recycling

- Standardized across campus
- Recycling specialized materials

#### Building Climate Control

- Wharton, Law, Nursing and Educ.

### Community Partnerships

- Trash receptacles/recycling bins in communities

## Graduate/Professional Students Health and Safety

- Understand students concerns and needs related to their wellbeing, and how these relate to university services currently offered
- Increase both mental and physical health, and safety awareness, education and training opportunities for students
- Work with Student Health, Counseling and Psychological Services, Public Safety, GAPSA VC of Communications, and International Council.

### Healthcare, Health Insurance and Well-being

- Signage/accessibility of Student Health
- Tracking of healthcare information sent to newly accepted students
- CAPS combining facilities
- Awareness of student mental health needs
- Increase awareness of mental health services available
- International students insurance needs
- Re-bid of student health insurance
- Childcare services and family support
- Family Resource Center siting

### Safety

- Self defense/ safety awareness training
- Penn Police safety education training
- Perception of safety and of public transit
- NSO: Safety Seminar Life in Philly and on Campus
- Continuation of Theft Awareness Campaign

### GAPSA Student Life webpage/ communication

- Layout of webpage
- Contents of webpage